IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re t	he application of	
	BISKEBORN et al.	Group Art Unit: 2627
Application No. 10/727,788)		Examiner: TUPPER, Robert S
Filed:	12/03/2003	Attorney Docket No. IBM1P036/SJO920030022US
For:	METHOD FOR PRODUCING AND INSPECTING TAPE HEAD AIR-SKIVING EDGES	Date: August 31, 2006

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

Applicant(s) believe that no Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required. Applicant(s) hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 09-0466.
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If the required fees are missing or any additional fees are required to facilitate filing the enclosed response, please charge such fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 09-0466 (Order No. <u>SIO92003022US1</u>). A copy of this sheet is enclosed for billing nurposes.

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